Corporation for National and Community Service

www.NationalService.gov



AmeriCorps State and National Grant Competition FY2017

Awardee: Brown University Program Name: College Advising Corps

Address: Swearer Center For Public Service

Providence, RI 02912

Awardee Contact: Kate Pisano

(401) 331-2298, ext. 116 kpisano@serverhodeisland.org

This is a single-state program funded through Rhode Island Commission for National and Community Service.

Rhode Island Commission for National and Community Service: Jim Berson

Executive Director

Rhode Island Commission for National

and Community Service

655 Broad Street Providence, RI 02907 (401) 465-5169

jberson@serverhodeisland.org

Award Details:

• Grant Funding: \$187,468

• AmeriCorps member positions: 20

Segal AmeriCorps Education Award: \$88,794

• Budgeted Match*: \$339,938

• Other Revenue**: \$0

*Budgeted Match amount refers to total proposed match amounts from all sources including private sector and govt. sources.

** Other Revenue refers to funds that the program reports as being used to run the program that are not CNCS share or match.

NOTE: Some applicants are receiving "fixed amount grants" which do not require reporting on matching funds.

Program Summary

The College Advising Corps at Brown University will have AmeriCorps members provide college-access advising to high school and community college students in Providence, Pawtucket, Central Falls, Woonsocket, West Warwick, and Newport. Members will support economically disadvantaged youth between high school graduation and college matriculation to decrease incidence of summer 'melt.' At the end of the first year, 1,000 students will be accepted to college. Members will also leverage 40 volunteers who will provide coaching and support for students taking college entrance tests. This program will focus on the CNCS focus area of Education.

